

Dental Hygienists Remote Supervision Program Guidance

Training:

Complete clinical training as needed for BSB, School Based Sealants
Complete OSHA and Infection Control Training

Operations:

Follow the protocol adopted by Board of Dentistry 7/2012
No direct services to be provided by assistants.
Protocol requires communicating every 14 days with dental supervisor, at a minimum
Use Google shared calendar to track locations of planned service delivery and enter documentation so supervisor can follow schedule and production

Onsite:

Copy of signed Remote Supervision agreement with provider and supervisor information filed at treatment site
Copy of key OSHA documents travel with provider including accident forms
Key SDS sheets travel with provider or electronically available
Autoclave testing documentation and sterilization log notes travel with program
Post licenses and certificates in treatment area and assure providers can be identified
Store patient records and consent forms “confidentially” in the Health Department or treatment facility, assuring privacy protection compliant with HIPAA (use transport pouches)
List of referral resources available

Reporting:

Communicate child encounter using Parent Report form in confidential manner
Complete VA-SEALs forms and Event forms for database